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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN THE PATENT APPLICATION OF:

APPLICANT : **JOHN B. PERMENTER**
APPL. NO. : **10/768,150** ART UNIT : **3751**
FILED : **February 2, 2004** EXAMINER : **C. PHILLIPS**
FOR : **INSULATED HOT WATER STORAGE TANK FOR SINK**

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE AFTER FINAL

Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action dated August 11, 2005. The initial period set for responding to this action expired on November 11, 2005.

Submitted with the present response is a **Petition for the Extension of Time** of one (1) month and fee, thereby increasing the time for responding to the outstanding Office Action to December 11, 2005. See 37 C.F.R. § 1.7.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.